N\09/306.605 **DECLARATION: PATENT APPLICATION**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE licant: Daniel J. Thomsen et al.

Examiner: Michael J. Simitoski

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Title: LOCALLY ADAPTABLE CENTRAL SECURITY MANAGEMENT IN A

HETEROGENEOUS NETWORK ENVIRONMENT

DECLARATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.47(a)

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.47(a) and 35 U.S.C. 116, second paragraph, Applicants submit this Petition seeking permission to file the Declaration under 37 CFR § 1.131 in the aboveidentified application without the signature of the co- inventor who has failed to execute the Declaration under § 1.131:

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As set forth in more detail in the attached Affidavit of Amy Moriarty, Applicants' legal representatives have made bona fide and diligent attempt to present the application as filed and the corresponding Declaration under § 1.131 to the unavailable inventor, Jessica Bogle, for her signature.

The below-signed attorney, Paul Urbanski, is a patent attorney employed by the firm of Schwegman, Lundberg, Woessner & Kluth, P.A. ("SLWK"). SLWK represents Secure Computing Corporation (the Assignee). Jessica Bogle is not presently employed by Secure Computing Corporation.

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The Commissioner is authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 19-0743 in the amount of \$130.00 for the petition fee as set forth under 37 CFR 1.17(h) and for any additional fees or credits.

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Respectfully submitted,

Date May 15, 2006

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